

6 510(k) Summary**MAR - 7 2001**

This summary of the 510(k) premarket notification for the Concentric Guide Catheter is being submitted in accordance with the requirements of SMDA 1990 and 21 CFR 807.92.

6.1 Manufacturer

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6.3 Date Prepared

September 29, 2000

6.4 Classification

Percutaneous Catheter, 21CFR 870.1250 – Class II

6.5 Trade Name

Concentric Guide Catheter™

6.6 Generic/Common Name

Percutaneous Catheter

6.7 Predicate Devices

Cordis Vista Brite Tip® Guiding Catheter (K972978)
Schneider GUIDER Softip® Guiding Catheters (K961999)

6.8 Intended Use

The Concentric Guide Catheter is indicated for use in facilitating the insertion and guidance of an occlusion catheter, infusion catheter or other appropriate micro catheter into a selected blood vessel in the general, coronary or neuro vasculature systems. It may also be used as a diagnostic angiographic catheter in appropriately sized vessels, i.e. carotid, coronary and peripheral vessels.

6.9 Product Description

The Concentric Guide Catheter is a single lumen, variable stiffness catheter that consists of a braided shaft with an outer liner and an inner liner. The shaft has a radiopaque marker at the distal end.

6.10 Substantial Equivalence

The Concentric Guide Catheter is intended for use in interventional radiological procedures. It is substantially equivalent to other devices currently on the market for use in interventional radiological procedures. The Concentric Guide Catheter is equivalent to the Cordis Vista Brite Tip Guiding Catheter (K972978) and the Schneider GUIDER Softip Guiding Catheters (K961999). The Concentric Guide Catheter™ is substantially equivalent to these predicate devices with regards to device design, intended use, patient population and anatomical site. Any differences in technological characteristics between the Concentric Guide Catheter and its predicate devices do not raise any new issues of safety or effectiveness.

6.11 Testing in Support of Substantial Equivalence

Performance testing and animal testing has been conducted and the results of the testing verified that the Concentric Guide Catheter performs as designed and is suitable for its intended use.

6.12 Conclusion

As contained in this 510(k) summary, the Concentric Guide Catheter is substantially equivalent to the predicate device identified in regards to device design, intended use, patient population and anatomical site.



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Ms. Linda Bradley
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Re: K003085
Trade Name: Concentric Guide Catheter™
Regulatory Class: II (two)
Product Code: 74 DQY
Dated: January 9, 2001
Received: January 10, 2001

Dear Ms. Bradley:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) notification of intent to market the device referenced above and we have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

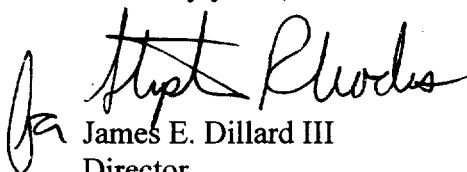
If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (Premarket Approval), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 895. A substantially equivalent determination assumes compliance with the Current Good Manufacturing Practice requirements, as set forth in the Quality System Regulation (QS) for Medical Devices: General regulation (21 CFR Part 820) and that, through periodic QS inspections, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) will verify such assumptions. Failure to comply with the GMP regulation may result in regulatory action. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register. Please note: this response to your premarket notification submission does not affect any obligation you might have under sections 531 through 542 of the Act for devices under the Electronic Product Radiation Control provisions, or other Federal laws or regulations.

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This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801 and additionally 809.10 for in vitro diagnostic devices), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4586. Additionally, for questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4639. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its internet address "<http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsma/dsmamain.html>".

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James E. Dillard III". To the left of the signature is a small, stylized mark that looks like a lowercase "ja".

James E. Dillard III
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Office of Device Evaluation
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Enclosure

5 Statement of Indications for Use**INDICATIONS FOR USE**

510(k) Number (if known): K003085

Device Name: Concentric Guide Catheter™

Indications for Use:

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)
Division of Cardiovascular & Respiratory Devices
510(k) Number K003085Prescription Use X
(Per 21 CFR 801.109)

OR

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